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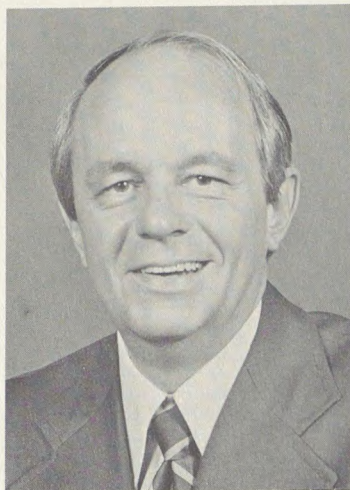
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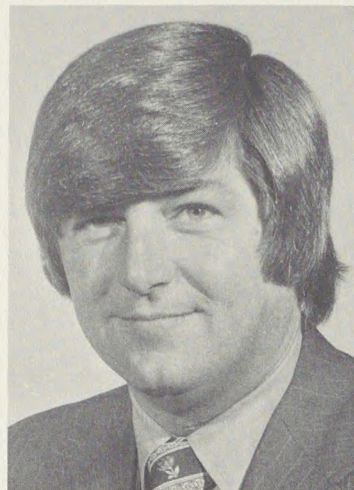


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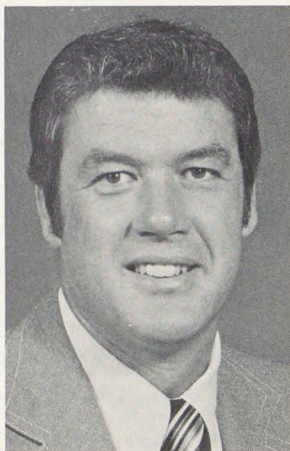
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# Welcome To Bowling Green



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*Jim Leasing*  
Director of Athletics

## 1978 Bowling Green Fall Sports Schedules

### MEN'S CROSS COUNTRY (Coach Mel Brodt)

- Sept. 9 at Eastern Michigan Open (11 a.m.)
- Sept. 16 TOLEDO & FINDLAY (11 a.m.)
- Sept. 23 at Ball St. w/N. Ill. (11 a.m.)
- Sept. 30 MIAMI (11 a.m.)
- Oct. 6 at Notre Dame w/C. Mich. (2 p.m.)
- Oct. 14 at All-Ohio at Ohio Wesleyan (noon)
- Oct. 21 at Kent State (11 a.m.)
- Oct. 28 at Central Collegiates (Chicago, 11 a.m.)
- Nov. 4 MID-AMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIPS at BG (11 a.m.)
- Nov. 11 at NCAA District 4 at Minneapolis (11 a.m.)
- Nov. 20 NCAA Championships at Wisconsin (11 a.m.)

### WOMEN'S CROSS COUNTRY (Coach Sid Sink)

- Sept. 24 MICHIGAN (11 a.m.)
- Sept. 30 at Golden Triangular at E. Michigan (noon)
- Oct. 7 FALCON INVITATIONAL (11 a.m.)
- Oct. 14 at Western Michigan (11 a.m.)
- Oct. 21 BOWLING GREEN INVITATIONAL (11 a.m.)
- Oct. 28 at Eastern Michigan (11 a.m.)
- Nov. 11 at MAIAW at W. Illinois (TBA)
- Nov. 18 at AIAW Nationals at U. of Colorado

### WOMEN'S FIELD HOCKEY (Coach Pat Brett)

- Sept. 29 CEDARVILLE (4 p.m.)
- Sept. 30 at Wooster (11 a.m.)
- Oct. 6 at Kent State (4 p.m.)
- Oct. 7 at Ashland (11 a.m.)
- Oct. 10 at Michigan (4 p.m.)
- Oct. 14 MIAMI (11 a.m.)
- Oct. 17 at Oberlin (4:30 p.m.)
- Oct. 20 at Eastern Michigan (4 p.m.)
- Oct. 21 at Muskingum w/Ohio Wes. & Witt. (10 a.m.)
- Oct. 23 at Dayton (4 p.m.)
- Oct. 27-28 at OASW Tournament (TBA)
- Nov. 3-4 at Ohio U. w/E. Kentucky (TBA)

### SOCCER (Coach Gary Palmisano)

- Sept. 22 KENT STATE (3:30 p.m.)
- Sept. 26 OHIO WESLEYAN (3:30 p.m.)
- Sept. 30 at Miami (2 p.m.)
- Oct. 4 WOOSTER (3:30 p.m.)
- Oct. 11 OHIO STATE (3:30 p.m.)
- Oct. 14 BALL STATE (2 p.m.)
- Oct. 18 at Cleveland State (7:30 p.m.)
- Oct. 21 at Akron (2 p.m.)
- Oct. 25 at Toledo (3:30 p.m.)
- Oct. 31 EASTERN MICHIGAN (3:30 p.m.)
- Nov. 3 MICHIGAN STATE (3 p.m.)
- Nov. 7 OAKLAND (3 p.m.)
- Nov. 13 at Southern Illinois (1:30 p.m.)

### WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL (Coach Pat Peterson)

- Sept. 23 at Wayne State (9 a.m.)
- Sept. 30 ASHLAND (11 a.m.)
- Oct. 7 at Cleveland St. w/Ohio St. (11 a.m.)
- Oct. 10 CEDARVILLE & BALDWIN-WALLACE (6:30 p.m.)
- Oct. 13-14 at Mid-American Invitational at Miami (TBA)
- Oct. 18 TOLEDO (7 p.m.)
- Oct. 21 at Ohio Northern w/Dayton/Mt. St. Jos. (10 a.m.)
- Oct. 28 at Ohio Northern w/Wayne St./Ohio U. (10 a.m.)
- Nov. 3 CAPITAL & CINCINNATI (3:30 p.m.)
- Nov. 7 at Kent St. (6:30 p.m.)
- Nov. 10 at OASW Tournament (TBA)

### WOMEN'S GOLF (Coach Janet Parks)

- Sept. 15-16 at Illinois St. Invitational
- Sept. 22-23 at Michigan St. Invitational
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# Falcons' Kip Young Gives Tigers' Pitching A Shot In The Arm

by Steve Shutt

Just a little more than three years ago, Kip Young was pitching for Bowling Green State University from the mound in Warren E. Steller Field.

This past summer, Kip Young was pitching for the Detroit Tigers from the mound in Tiger Stadium and other stadia across the country.

In that short span, Kip has gone from college star to a professional pitcher with a future that couldn't be brighter.

While at Bowling Green, Young compiled a 37-6 record, a mark that may never be equalled. He also holds career records for earned run average (2.10), innings (296), and strikeouts (232). He compiled yearly records of 5-2, 10-1, 11-1, and 11-2. As a sophomore, Young was fifth in the nation with a 1.01 ERA and he was a second team All-Mid-American Conference pick. Kip was picked for the All-MAC first team as both a junior and senior.

Young was Detroit's 23rd draft pick in the June 1976 draft and he spent time at the Tiger's Lakeland farm club before being promoted to Evansville (AAA) at the start of the spring. Kip pitched his way to an 11-3 mark in the American Association before being called up by the Tigers on July 20 of this past summer.

In his first appearance, a late inning relief stint, Young was credited with the loss on an unearned run. But, according to Kip, the fact that he won or lost that first game is of little importance.

"The first time I pitched was more to take off the pressure than anything else," said Young. "I was in there to get my feet wet and get a few innings of experience before my first start."

On his reaction to being called up, Kip said, "It's difficult to exactly describe your emotions. I was 11-3 at Evansville at the time and I wasn't too surprised. I was very excited and pleased because it was something I had been shooting for for a long time."

During his first summer of pitching in Detroit, Kip Young became something of a phenom. Following each of his first three starts, which he won, the crowd would remain in the stands chanting 'We Want Kip' until the rookie pitcher would appear for an encore. It was a scene reminiscent of the days of Mark Fidrych.

"The crowd couldn't have been any better," said Young. "They really made me feel welcome and also gave me a great deal of confidence."

The highlight of the summer came when Kip made his first trip to New York City and pitched against the Yankees. "I'd never been to New York," said Young, "and everything about it was great. The atmosphere of the city and playing in Yankee Stadium was great. Even though we lost, 4-2, it was a great feeling."

The transition from AAA level baseball to the majors was a big change for Kip, but he was not unprepared for it. "One of the biggest changes is in control. You have to have good control. And another change is that it is very important

to know the hitter's strengths and weaknesses. But I was pretty well prepared because I had pitched a few innings during spring training and I had a year of Triple A ball behind me so I had an idea of what to expect.

"I more or less use three or four pitches and it depends on which ones are working as to the pitches I'll throw in a game. I rely a lot on my change or breaking pitches, but I have to see which ones are working best before each game. Then I'll go with my two best pitches whether it's the fastball and the curve or the curve and the change or whatever. But you have to have control."

Kip finished his first major league season with a 6-7 record and a 2.81 ERA. "I was pleased by my performance," said Young. "I hope I can pitch as well next year. I'd like to be able to keep my ERA down and average eight innings a game and have a lot better record."

As for the Tigers, Young is hoping for a big year in 1979 from the American League East squad. "We'll definitely be contenders because we have a good ball club," said Kip. "Not just a good club, but a good young club. On the other hand, so do Boston and New York and they're the teams we have to beat. But I think we'll be a better team next year — at least I hope we are."

"But as far as winning the pennant, that's something you just can't say. Now

if we were in the other division, that would be another story."

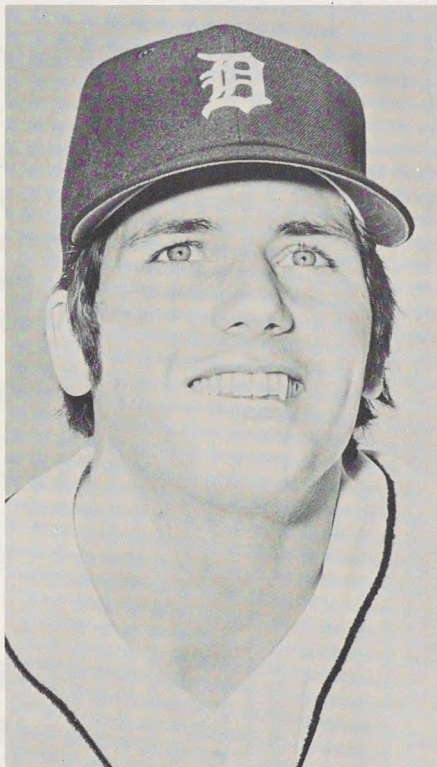
Presently Kip is living in Winchester, Ohio with his wife and working on his father's farm. He manages to stay in shape by playing basketball two or three nights a week. But his routine does not include any throwing.

"Right now I'm resting my arm totally, not throwing at all. I'll exercise it a little bit later, in December and January. I threw a lot of innings between Evansville and Detroit this summer and the arm needs to be rested."

Young came to Bowling Green in the fall of 1972 as a baseball recruit of coach Don Purvis. "Coach Purvis recruited me and the main reason I came to Bowling Green was because I liked him as a person. I heard a lot about the school and its good sports program and the good education it offered."

"My four years at Bowling Green helped me a great deal in getting drafted and getting into baseball. And Coach Purvis did a lot for me. He helped me out a lot and I have to give him a lot of credit."

For Kip Young it has been a tremendous year, starting in Lakeland during spring training and concluding in Detroit with Kip reaching his goal of pitching in the majors. But the story is just beginning because Young has a great future ahead of him and you can be sure the people of Detroit are glad Kip Young is a Tiger.



Bowling Green's Kip Young as he looked in his Tiger uniform last summer (left), while at right, Young undoubtedly on the way to one of his 37 victories as a BG pitcher from 1973-76. Young finished his career with a 37-6 record and still holds almost all Falcon pitching marks, including most strikeouts, innings, wins and lowest earned run average.



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## Coach Denny Stolz

Denny Stolz, who helped revitalize the football program at Alma College and Michigan State, is currently in his second year as head coach at Bowling Green.

The former Big Ten Coach-of-the-Year has compiled a solid 58-36-1 record as head coach on the college level for a winning percentage of .617. Although the Falcons recorded a 5-7 mark in 1977, a pair of sound recruiting campaigns promise to brighten the outlook for the Falcons for this season and the future.

Before joining the Falcon staff, Stolz had served as head coach at Michigan State from 1973-75. He led the Spartans to an impressive 19-13-1 record which was the only winning record produced among Big Ten coaches other than Woody Hayes and Bo Schembechler.

Stolz started his rebuilding program at Michigan State with a 5-6 record in 1973, but a year later he directed the Spartans to a 7-3-1 mark for the best record at MSU since 1966. The team was 6-1-1 in conference play and only a tie with Illinois kept it out of the title picture. His efforts earned him coaching plaudits from the Big Ten and the Spartans finished in 12th place in the AP poll and 18th in the UPI ratings. A 16-13 win over Ohio State highlighted the campaign as the Buckeyes were ranked number one at the time.

A year later, Stolz led State to a 7-4 record and a third place Big Ten finish. Highlight of the 1975 season was a 10-3 upset of Notre Dame.

His coaching success earned him a spot as head coach of the North team in the 1976 All-American Bowl in Tampa, and he directed his team to a win over a South squad.

Stolz began his coaching career with the Spartans as an assistant to Duffy Daugherty in 1971. As defensive coordinator, his units ranked second and third in the league in total defense.

Prior to joining Daugherty, Stolz was head coach at Alma College from 1965-70. Taking over a team that had won just three games in four years, he molded Alma into a Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association (MIAA) power. During his six-year tenure, his teams won three MIAA titles, compiled an 18-game win streak and were unbeaten in 1967 and 1968.

A graduate of Alma and a native of Lansing, Mich., Stolz got his start in coaching at Haslett High School where he had a nine-year record of 40-13-3 from 1955-63. He also spent a year as defensive coordinator at Lansing Eastern High School in 1964.

He earned his bachelor's degree from Alma in 1955 and a master's from MSU in 1960. He and his wife, Cena, are the parent's of a son, Doak, 18, and daughters, Dawn, 17, and Denise, 10.



**BOWLING GREEN'S 1978 COACHING STAFF:** Front Row (L-R) — Steve Beckholt, defensive coordinator and linebackers; Charlie Butler, assistant to the head coach and offensive line; Mike Rasmussen, offensive coordinator and offensive backs. Back Row (L-R) — Gary Pinkel, receivers; Jim Heacock, defensive line; Denny Stolz, head coach; Charlie Baggett, defensive ends.

## The Coaching Staff

**CHARLIE BAGGETT**, a 1975 Michigan State graduate, will work with the Falcon defense and handle the defensive ends. Charlie was a member of the Bowling Green staff in 1977, serving on a part-time basis in several areas, including working with the offensive backs. He holds the Michigan State career total offense record of 4,041 yards set during the 1973-75 season. A co-captain in 1975, Baggett also earned MVP honors once during his career and was also selected to play in the All-American Bowl which he participated in 1976. Baggett, who holds a degree in economics and food management, is also a former All-Big Ten choice at quarterback and stands second in Spartan career passing.

**STEVE BECKHOLT** is starting his second year with the Bowling Green staff and will once again serve as the Falcons' defensive coordinator. Another Michigan State graduate (1971), Beckholt previously served as defensive coordinator at Albion (Mich.) College before coming to Bowling Green. In his final season at Albion, Beckholt's defense helped the team to a 9-0 record and the top spot in defensive statistics among Division III schools in the country. He was a two-year letterman at linebacker for Western Michigan before transferring to Michigan State. Beckholt also holds a master's degree from Central Michigan University.

**CHARLIE BUTLER** was Stolz's offensive line coach at Michigan State from 1973-75 and will serve in the same capacity at Bowling Green in addition to being the administrative assistant to the head coach. A 1961 graduate of Middle Tennessee State, Butler was an offensive guard and linebacker in college and later served on the Blue Raiders' coaching staff from 1966-71. He later moved on to Colorado State before joining Stolz at Michigan State in 1973. Butler was also an outstanding high school coach in Tennessee, leading Hendersonville High School to a pair of bowl games in the state. He holds a master's degree from Middle Tennessee.

**JIM HEACOCK** is starting his first year with the BG staff after previously serving in various facets of the Bowling Green program. A 1970 graduate of Muskingum (O.) College, Heacock was a part-time member of the Falcon staff in 1972-73 as a graduate assistant. Heacock earned four letters at Muskingum and was chosen All-Ohio as a defensive back for three years. Following graduation he played for two seasons with the Green Bay Packers and Cincinnati Bengals (1970-71) before coming to Bowling Green. Heacock returned to Muskingum in 1973 and served as head track coach and assistant football coach until rejoining the Falcon staff this year.

**GARY PINKEL**, a former standout at Kent State, will once again handle the tight ends and receivers for the Falcons. Pinkel earned All-MAC honors at Kent State in 1972 and 1973 and was also accorded honorable mention All-America honors as a senior. He ranks second on the Golden Flashes' all-time career receiving list and he had a tryout with Pittsburgh following his career there. Got his start in coaching as a student coach at Kent State under Don James before spending two years with James on the University of Washington staff. Was a team captain in 1973 and was also chosen as Kent's MVP.

**MIKE RASMUSSEN** is another of the Bowling Green coaches who joined Denny Stolz in his first season in 1977. Rasmussen, who was the starting quarterback at Michigan State in 1971 and 1972, has a very diverse coaching background, having served as an assistant coach at Chico (Calif.) State and the University of Hawaii. He served as the offensive coordinator at Hawaii before joining the Falcon staff last fall. During his career at Michigan State, Rasmussen established himself as one of the top passers in Spartan history. A former junior college All-America at Fresno City College, Rasmussen will coach the offensive backs and also serve as the offensive coordinator.



## Gause Bounces Back To Become A Contributor

One of the more amazing stories on the Falcon football squad this fall is that of linebacker Jim Gause. Two years ago, Gause was a promising junior fullback for Bowling Green. Then the bottom fell out. Gause was out of school because of grades and working in a tire factory back home in Chillicothe, Ohio.

"The thing I realized most while I was gone was just how much I missed football," said Jim. "You don't appreciate what you have until you lose it and then have to work to get it back."

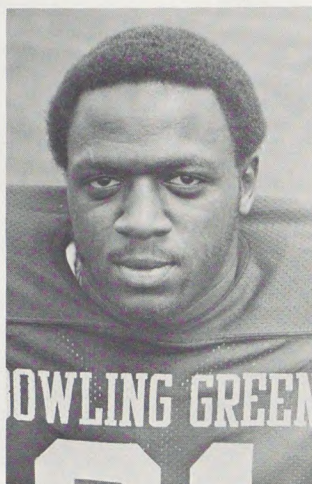
"I didn't even know if the coaches would take me back," continued Gause. "I only had one year left and coaches like to build teams with younger players."

But Denny Stolz and his staff were willing to take a chance on the 6-1, 215-pound fullback-turned-linebacker. And they haven't been sorry.

And Jim credits his family as being one of the major driving forces behind his return to football.

"I learned a lot about football from Coach (Mike) Rasmussen," continued Gause. "A lot of coaches teach discipline but he was teaching me more than discipline. I can't explain it. He was teaching me football and how to do it right. He stressed do it right or don't do it at all."

The change in position hasn't hurt Jim at all because he is such a versatile athlete. "I like playing football so much I'll play anywhere," said the senior and two-year letterman. "As far as playing linebacker, I'm still a little green and I don't know



Jim Gause

all the tactics to be an outstanding linebacker, but I'm learning.

"When I was playing fullback I felt really comfortable. I was at a point where I was doing things that surprised even myself," said Jim.

Despite playing his first season at linebacker, Gause has been a solid contributor on the Falcon defense, having garnered over 80 tackles in the team's first 10 games. He had 14 tackles against Toledo and a dozen in games against Villanova and Central Michigan.

"Jim has been a fine addition to our defense this season," commented Falcon coach Denny Stolz. "He worked hard to get himself back in school this year and even if he doesn't play well, he can be proud of himself. He's made of something special."

Jim's love for football is not just a passing fad and a career in the professional ranks is one of his goals.

"Playing pro ball is definitely on my agenda for the future," said Gause. "I've talked to a few scouts but there's not a whole lot they can do right now. If I don't get drafted, I definitely plan on trying to make it as a free agent. I'll play anywhere they put me, just so I can play."

As for the '78 Falcons, Gause feels that there is more talent to the team than they have been exhibiting.

"Our team is good offensively and defensively," said Gause, "But we're just not playing as well as we should. The Miami game was a really tough one that we should have won and that kind of hurt us. The intensity fell off a little bit, but now it's coming back and I hope we'll be playing better."

In the distant future, hopefully after a professional career, lies a position in physical therapy.

"I'd say my ultimate goal is to be a physical therapist and work with children," said Jim. "Working with older people might pay more, but I love children. I have a lot of brothers and sisters that I used to take care of when I was home. If I can just help one person then I know that it will be worthwhile."

Jim Gause is truly an outstanding young man and one of the finest additions that the Falcons added to their roster this season.

## Holmes Develops Into A Successful Walk-On

For Ed Holmes, Bowling Green's starting left defensive tackle, the 1978 season is a great opportunity for him to play. But he wishes that the Falcons were coming out on top of more games than they are.

"I'm really enjoying the opportunity to play this year," said Holmes. "In the past I'd go home and people would say 'Are you playing, are you travelling, are you starting' and now I can answer them and tell them 'Yes, I'm starting.'"

Holmes' main obstacle in gaining a starting berth in the past was a large and immovable object called Jack Williams. Williams graduated and was drafted by the St. Louis Cardinals. And with Jack gone, Holmes got the perfect opportunity to play.

"I only got to play one or two plays a game when Jack was here and I was able to pick up some tips there and from also playing on the scout team," continued Ed.

"I learned a little bit from Jack, but you have to remember that Jack and I are two different players. Jack's about 6-5 and 250 pounds and I'm 6-1 and 225. We're about the same in quickness, but Jack's a lot faster than I am and that means we have to play two different kinds of football."

As far as the Falcons this season, Holmes feels that the team has played inconsistently. "I think in a couple of games we showed people that we could play good football even though we did get beat. People have pointed to a weak defense and especially the defensive line, but the main thing about the whole team is that we've been playing inconsistently."

With the majority of the Bowling Green team made up of freshmen and sophomore players, Holmes accepts the leadership role that is expected from the senior members of the squad. "I feel that I know the ropes and that can make me a better player. It takes one or two years to learn the techniques and everything it takes to play college football. It's real tough for a freshman to come in and play a lot."

Holmes has gone from defensive end to middle guard and to tackle where he now plays. "I liked middle guard," said Ed,

because the center's not as big as the tackle and the position requires more quickness than pure strength."

But pure strength is one of Holmes' assets. As a 185-pound freshman, Ed was able to bench press 350 pounds and today remains one of the strongest players on the team.

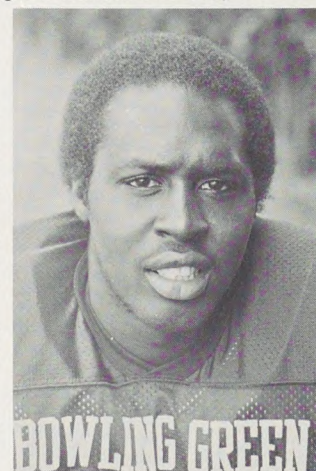
Ed hails from Inwood, New York, quite a distance from the flatlands of Northwestern Ohio.

Holmes was a walk-on when he came to Bowling Green and he impressed Coach Don Nehlen enough during spring practice to warrant being asked back for practice in August.

Looking back at the games gone by, Holmes feels he has an explanation for the Falcon collapse. "Late in the season all the teams have scouted us really well where as during the first few games we could do anything we wanted and they wouldn't know what was coming. Now they all know what we're going to do and the teams are much stronger."

And looking ahead to today's game with Ohio University, Ed said, "We can't play like we did against Central Michigan or Ball State if we want to win. But our offense is going to come around and score some points and the defense won't give up 38 points again."

After football comes a career in recreation for Holmes. "My major is physical education and recreation and I'd like to work at some large recreation facility or resort or in a commercial recreation department," said Holmes.



Ed Holmes



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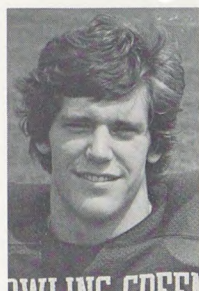
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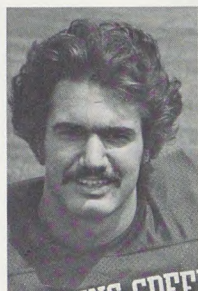
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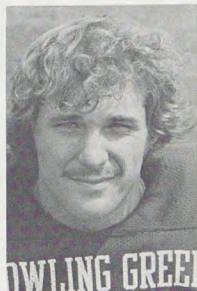
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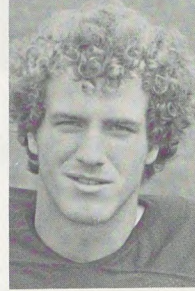
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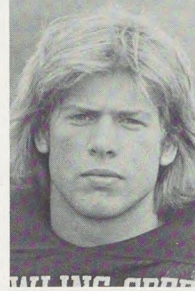
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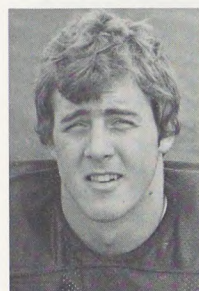
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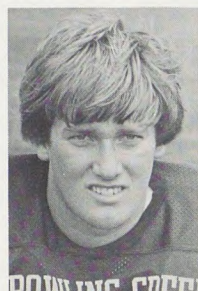
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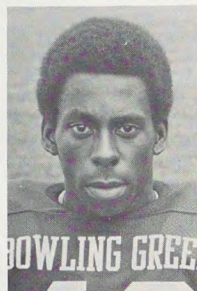
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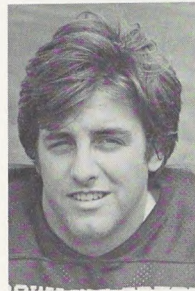
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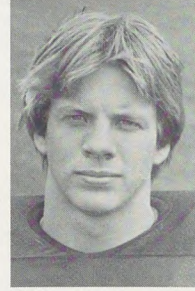
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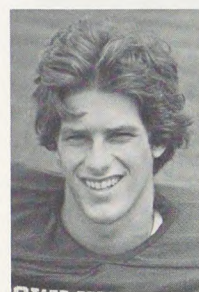
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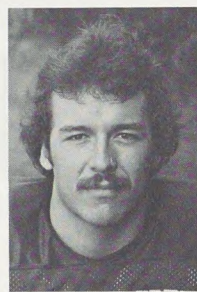
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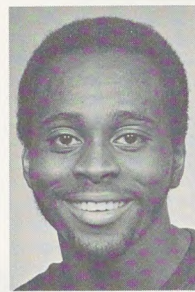
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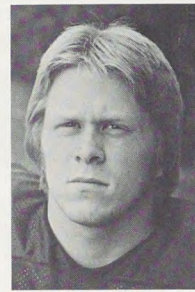
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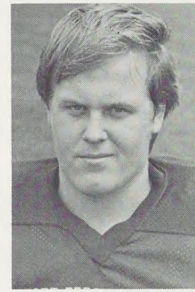
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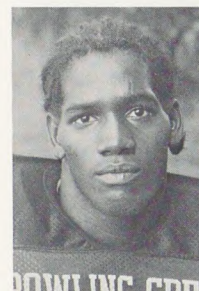
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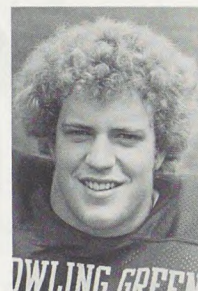
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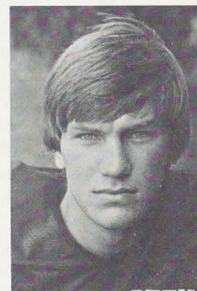
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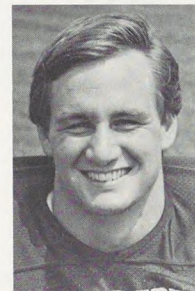
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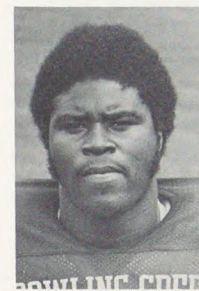
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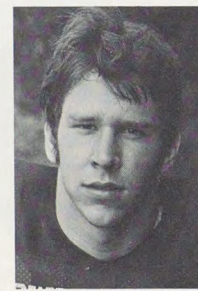
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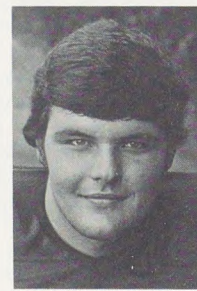
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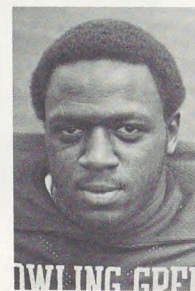
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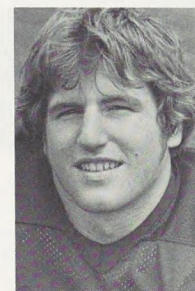
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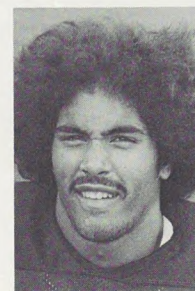
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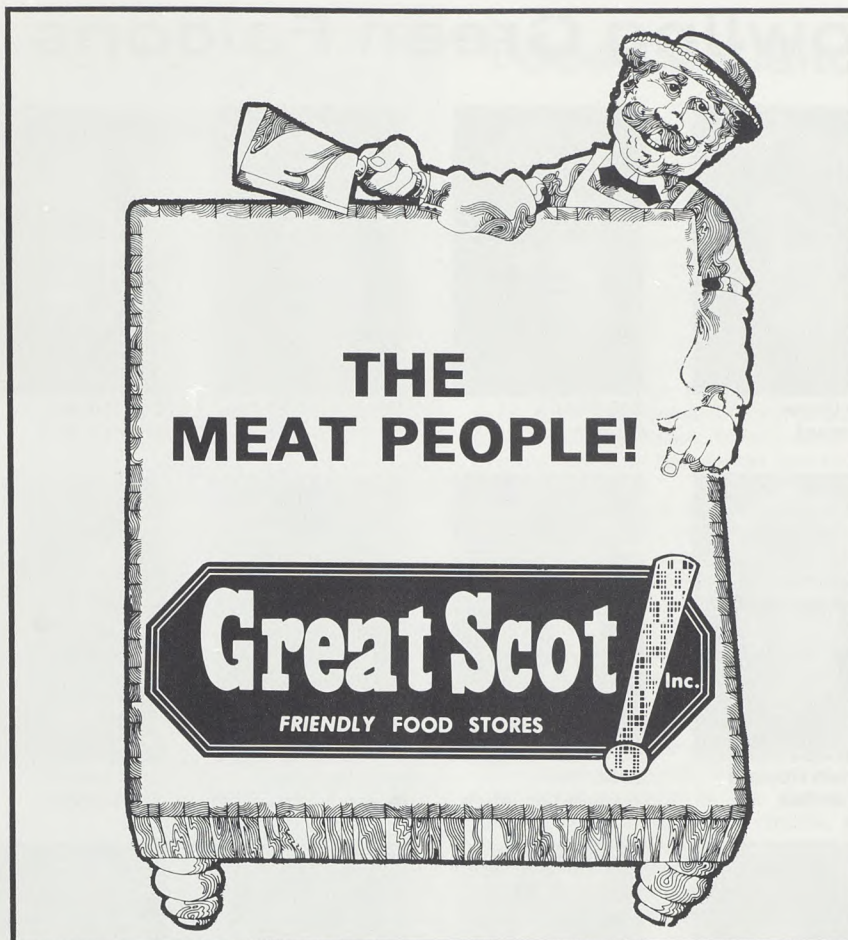


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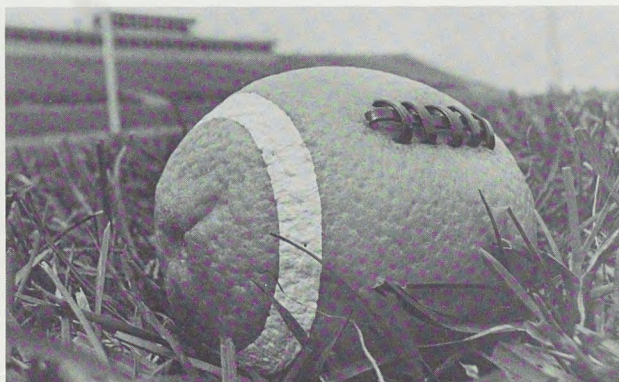
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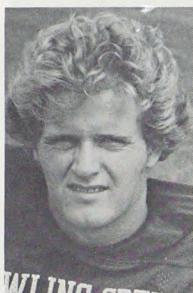
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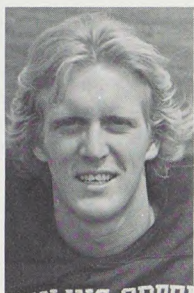
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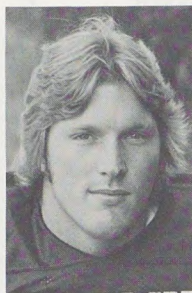
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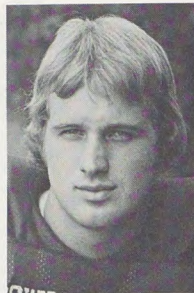
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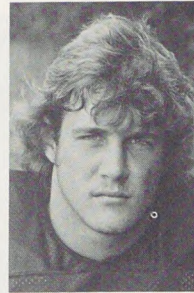
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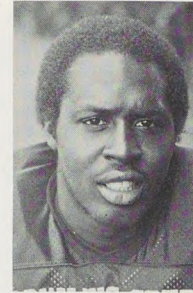
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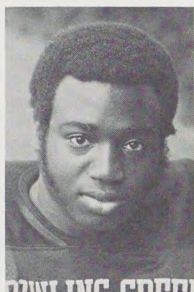
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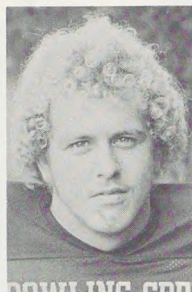
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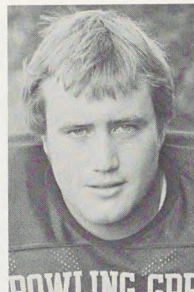
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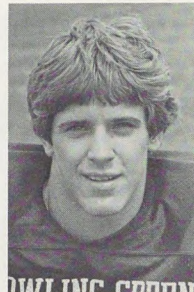
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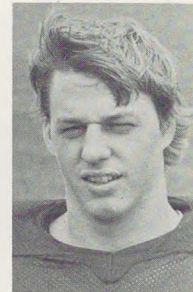
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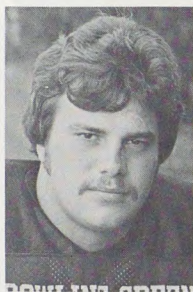
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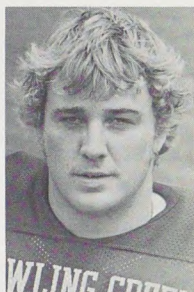
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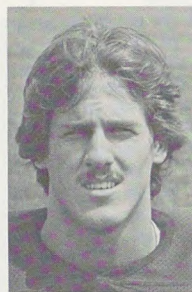
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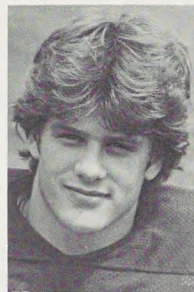
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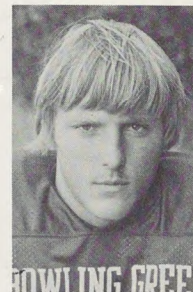
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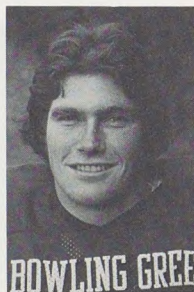
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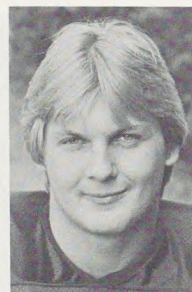
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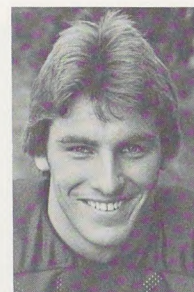
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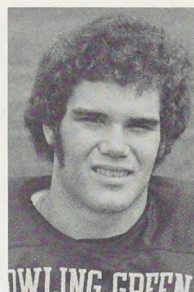
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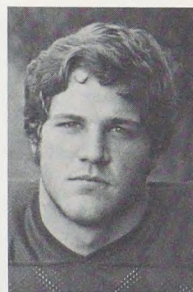
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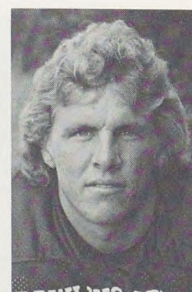
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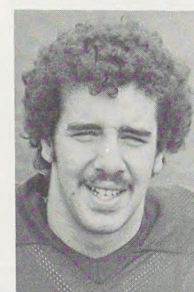
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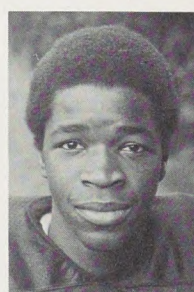
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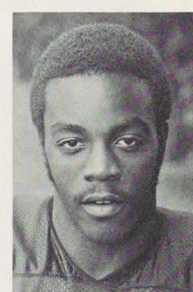
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### BOWLING GREEN

	BG	OPP
First Downs	215	186
Rushing Yards	2071	2453
Passing	283/152/13	155/66/12
(Attempts/Completions/Interceptions)		
Passing Yards	2057	1035
Total Offense	4128	3488
Punts/Avg.	50/32.7	48/40.5
Fumbles/Lost	38/24	25/16
Penalties/Yards	51/483	59/551
Points	262	248

#### FALCON LEADERS

**Rushing**— Dave Windatt, 551 yds., 5.1 avg.; Mike Wright, 526 yds., 3.1 avg.; Doug Wiener, 451 yds., 4.3 avg.

**Passing** — Mike Wright, 126 of 247, 11 int., 1748 yds., 15 TD's; Dave Endres 23 of 32, 1 int., 293 yds., 2 TD's.

**Receiving** — Jeff Groth, 48 for 770 yds., 7 TD's; Dan Shetler, 28 for 433 yds., 1 TD; Dave Windatt, 14 for 151 yds.

**Punting** — Doug Groth, 46 for 34.1 avg.

**Punt Returns** — Jeff Groth, 5 for 25 yds.; Dan Shetler, 3 for 19 yds.

**Kickoff Returns** — Dave Cassel, 26 for 450 yds.; Steve Raabe, 5 for 93 yds.

**Interceptions** — Bob Cummins, 5 for 45 yds.; Jac Tomasello, 4 for 13 yds.

**Tackles** — Mike Callesen, 123; Jim Mitolo, 113; Todd Gates, 101; Jim Gause, 82; Bob Cummins, 67; Ed Holmes, 65.

**Scoring** — Mike Wright, 10 TD's for 60 pts.; Jeff Groth, 7 TD's and 1 2-pt. conv. for 44 pts.; Doug Wiener, 7 TD's for 42 pts.; John Spengler, 33 PAT's and 1 FG for 36 pts.

## Ohio University

	OU	OPP
First Downs	135	153
Rushing Yards	1159	1934
Passing	169/75/13	139/70/7
(Attempts/Completions/Interceptions)		
Passing Yards	900	1022
Total Offense	2059	2956
Punts/Avg.	68/38.3	59/37.4
Fumbles/Lost	32/16	29/13
Penalties/Yards	34/359	74/691
Points	87	208

#### BOBCAT LEADERS

**Rushing** — Kevin Babcock, 666 yds., 3.8 avg.; Todd Yoho, 206 yds., 5.6 avg.; Nigel Turpin, 104 yds., 1.3 avg.

**Passing** — Nigel Turpin, 33 of 73, 3 int., 410 yds., 1 TD; John Scimeca, 29 of 66, 6 int., 307 yds., 2 TD's.

**Receiving** — Mark Geisler, 25 for 244 yds., 1 TD; Nigel Turpin, 13 for 145 yds.; John Summers, 10 for 199 yds., 2 TD's.

**Punting** — Steve Green, 66 for 39.3 avg.

**Punt Returns** — Jim Givens, 23 for 172 yds.; Gordy Burns, 4 for 6 yds.

**Kickoff Returns** — John Summers, 17 for 333 yds.; Mark Grogan, 10 for 214 yds.

**Interceptions** — Seven players with one

**Tackles** — Ted Lucas, 89; Steve Groves, 87; Neil Seymour, 72; Pat Ryan, 67; Mike Johnson, 65; John Gamble, 60.

**Scoring** — Steve Green, 7 PAT's, 6 FG's for 25 pts.; John Summers 2 TD's and 2-2 pt. PAT's for 14 pts.; Mark Grannison and Nigel Turpin, 2 TD's each for 12 pts.

## Today's Visitors—Ohio University

Hopefully, this year's Bowling Green's football team won't suffer the same fate that the last three BG teams did in their season finales. The Falcons not only will be trying to put the skids on a four-game regular-season losing streak, but they will also be trying to gain their first win in a season finale since the 1973 season against Northern Illinois.

A 21-21 tie with San Diego State in 1974 interrupted the streak, but since that time, Bowling Green has lost games to Texas-Arlington, Tennessee-Chattanooga and Cal State-Long Beach. In fact since 1969, BG has won just two games and tied one in season finales.

Ohio University is also on a losing streak of its own and the Bobcats will be trying to bounce back after dropping back-to-back games to Miami and Cincinnati in battles against southern Ohio opposition.

Coach Denny Stolz's squad almost snapped out of its losing streak against Southern Mississippi last Saturday night in Hattiesburg, but after leading 21-14 at the half, the Falcons couldn't hold back the Golden Eagle attack which registered 24 unanswered points in the second half.

Lost once again in the defeat were several new Bowling Green records, among them a new single season mark for total offense. Quarterback Mike Wright moved ahead of Mark Miller on the Falcon list by picking up 192 yards in the game to give him a total of 2,274 yards for the campaign, breaking Miller's record of 2,133. His 417 plays is also a new single season mark as are John Spengler's 33 points-after-touchdown.

Senior flanker Jeff Groth is also on the verge of breaking another Falcon record, this one for yards gained receiving in one season. He now has 770 which is just 16 yards shy of Bob Zimpher's record set in 1969.

Today's battle with Ohio University will be the 31st meeting ever between the two Ohio schools with BG holding a 16-13-1 lead over the Bobcats. The Falcons have won the last three games, including 39-27 last fall in Athens. In that game, freshman fullback Dave Windatt rushed for 200 yards on 28 carries to lead the Falcon offense.

On the national statistical scene, Bowling Green continues to rank as one of the nation's top offensive clubs despite the four straight setbacks. Mike Wright is ranked fifth nationally in total offense with 227.4 yards-per-game and is 20th in passing with 12.6 completions-per-contest. Jeff Groth is 10th in receiving with 4.8 catches-per-game and Wright is also one of the nation's most successful touchdown producers with 23. This category is for touchdowns passed or run for.

In team statistics, Bowling Green is currently ranked 11th nationally in total offense at 412.8 and 14th in passing with a 205.7 average-per-game.

While Bowling Green ranks first in total offense and passing offense in the MAC, Ohio University was the lowest ranking MAC school in last week's league defensive figures. However, the Bobcats have a fine defense and one of the league's

top receivers in Nigel Turpin. A quarterback earlier this year, Turpin has caught just 13 passes since his move back to flanker, but he is a dangerous deep threat with fine hands.

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**FALCON NOTES** — Today's Junior Falcon is David Loy of Ash Street in Weston . . . He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Loy . . . Today's game will also include the drawing for the big winner in the Falcon-of-the-Week contest and some lucky boy/girl will win a trip for their parents and themselves to Iowa State next fall . . . The Falcon Athletic Department would also like to welcome all Boy Scouts in attendance today from around Northwest Ohio . . . Today is also Student Appreciation Day and \$2,000 worth of prizes will be given away at halftime of the game in the contest sponsored by the BG News and the Falcon Athletic Department.

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#### 1978 MAC STANDINGS

	W	L	T	Pct.
Ball State	7	0	0	1.000
Central Michigan	7	1	0	.875
Miami	5	2	0	.714
Western Michigan	5	3	0	.625
BOWLING GREEN	3	4	0	.429
Ohio	2	4	0	.333
Toledo	2	6	0	.250
Northern Illinois	1	3	0	.250
Eastern Michigan	1	5	0	.167
Kent State	1	6	0	.143

#### Schedule & Results

##### Bowling Green (4-6)

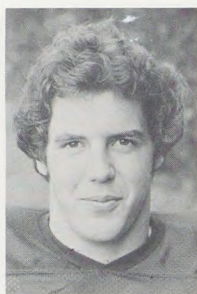
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Western Michigan 24, BGSU 20  
BGSU 45, Toledo 27  
**BGSU 28, Kent State 20**  
Miami 18, BGSU 7  
**Central Michigan 38, BGSU 7**  
**Ball State 38, BGSU 14**  
Southern Miss. 38, BGSU 21  
**Nov. 18—Ohio University (1:30)**

##### Ohio University (2-7)

OU 23, Eastern Michigan 22  
Purdue 24, OU 0  
Kent State 20, OU 14  
Central Michigan 17, OU 3  
South Carolina 24, OU 7  
Toledo 28, OU 14  
OU 10, Western Michigan 7  
Miami 31, OU 16  
Cincinnati 35, OU 0  
Nov. 18—at Bowling Green  
Nov. 25—at Northern Illinois



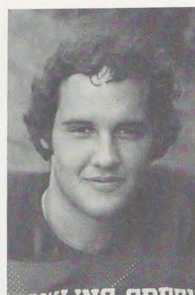
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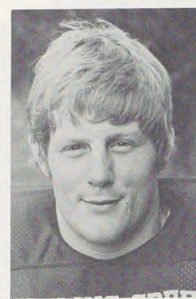
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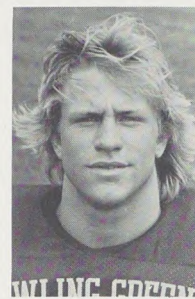
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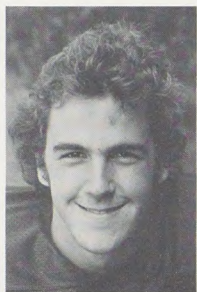
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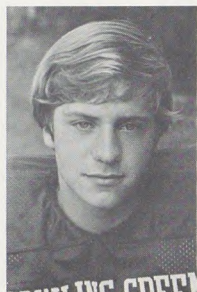
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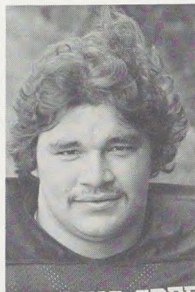
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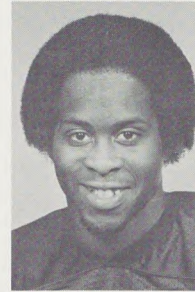
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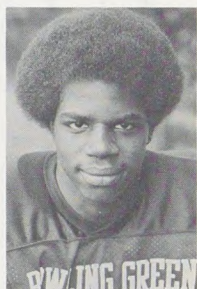
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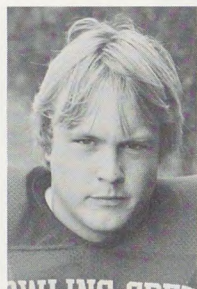
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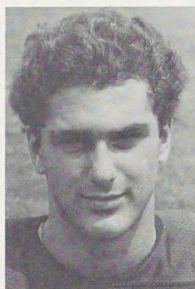
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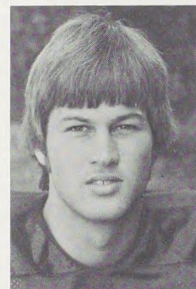
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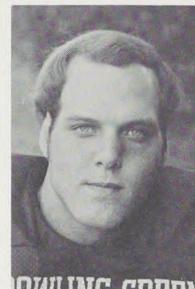
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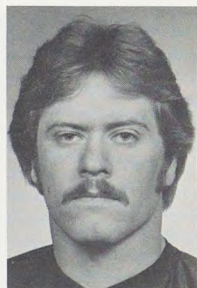
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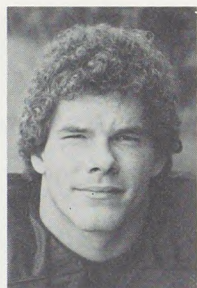
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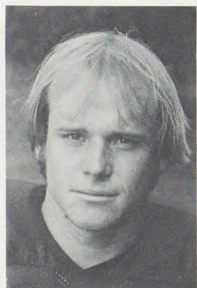
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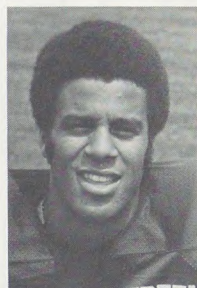
Fred Wasson  
Gahanna



Doug Wiener  
Canton



Dave Windatt  
Muskegon, Mich.



Mike Wright  
Wellsville



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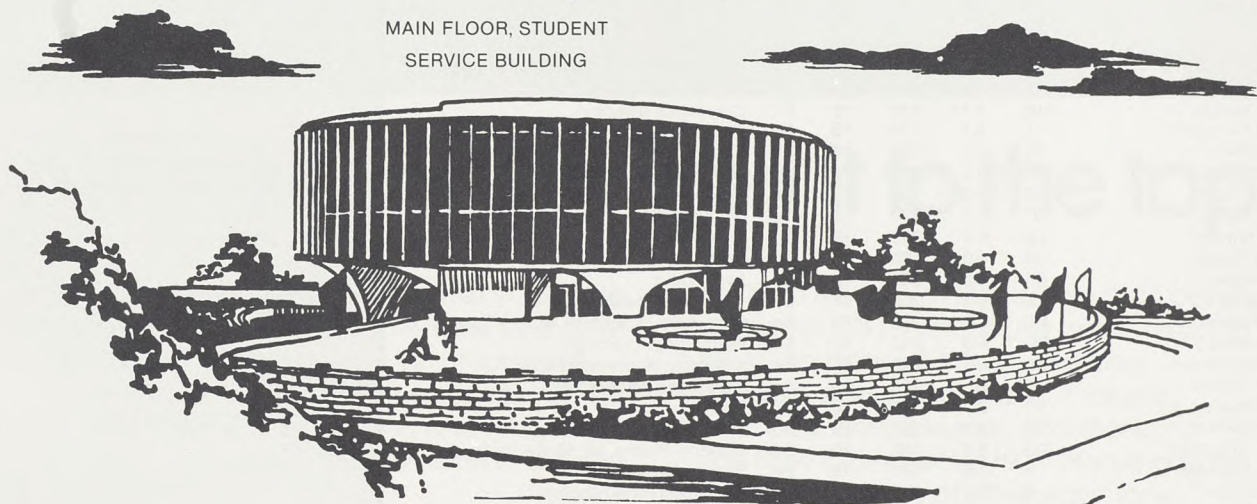
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# 1978 Bowling Green Roster

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	AGE	YR.	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL)
14	Dirk Abernathy**	SS	6-0	191	21	Sr.	Niles (McKinley)
18	Brad Baker	FL	6-2	188	21	Sr.	North Canton (Hoover)
66	Frank Bartoszek	OG	6-1	210	18	Fr.	Kentwood, MI (East)
57	Tom Beaber*	C	6-1	215	20	Jr.	Columbus (Whetstone)
15	Bob Bistriz	CB	5-11	172	18	Fr.	Chagrin Falls
47	Michael Bixel	LB	6-3	219	18	Fr.	Willoughby (South)
3	Mark Bogue	DB	5-11	178	19	So.	Columbus (North)
74	John Broderick	OT	6-4	209	18	Fr.	Plymouth, MI (Plymouth-Salem)
40	Kevin Browning	FB	5-11	195	18	Fr.	Detroit, MI (Kettering)
64	Carl Brungard	OG	6-2	211	19	So.	Hudson
49	Mike Callesen*	LB	6-0	218	20	Jr.	Cleveland (Westlake)
81	Doug Carr	TE	6-4	207	18	Fr.	South Charleston
13	Dave Cassel	TB	5-10	185	18	Fr.	Wyandotte, MI (Trenton)
92	Myke Claret	LB	6-1	212	19	Fr.	Youngstown (Cardinal Mooney)
78	Barry Clark	OT	6-4	240	21	Sr.	Oregon (Clay)
44	Joe Coalter	WS	5-11	215	18	Fr.	Dayton
82	Harvey Coleman	FL	6-2	175	21	Jr.	Lorain (Admiral King)
22	Bob Cummins**	WS	6-0	205	21	Sr.	Brooklyn
97	Richard Deutsch	MG	6-2	230	18	Fr.	Valley City (North Ridgeville)
34	Tony Dunklin*	CB	6-0	186	20	So.	Cleveland (Cleveland Heights)
63	Dave Ellis	OG	6-2	218	17	Fr.	Battle Creek, MI (Central)
10	Dave Endres	QB	6-4	186	19	So.	Cincinnati (Oak Hills)
33	Mark Firek	SE	5-10	163	18	Fr.	Milan, Mich.
85	John Fitzpatrick*	LB	6-2	225	21	Sr.	Williamsburg, NY (South)
30	Kevin Folkes	TB	5-8	171	18	Fr.	Detroit, MI (Osborn)
75	Darhyl Garrett	OT	6-2	225	18	Jr.	Chattanooga, TN (Notre Dame)
70	Todd Gates	DT	6-4	240	19	So.	Columbus (Northland)
36	Dan Gatta	LB	6-0	209	20	Jr.	Niles (McKinley)
61	Jim Gause**	LB	6-0	229	22	Sr.	Chillicothe
4	Jeff Genyk	QB	6-1	180	18	Fr.	Milan, MI
93	Bryan Gibbs	OT	6-2	225	18	Fr.	Garden City, MI (East)
69	Gary Granger	LB	6-4	209	19	Fr.	Columbus (Mifflin)
6	Doug Groth	QB	6-0	175	20	Jr.	Chagrin Falls
23	Jeff Groth***	FL	5-10	178	21	Sr.	Chagrin Falls
42	Joe Guyer**	LB	6-1	203	21	Sr.	Fremont (St. Joseph's)
79	Bob Harris*	OT	6-6	250	20	Jr.	Oberlin
7	Doug Heisterman	CB	6-0	183	21	Sr.	Homestead, FL (South Dade)
94	Ed Holmes*	DT	6-0	227	20	Sr.	Inwood, NY (Lawrence)
32	Steve Holovacs***	FB	5-8	197	22	Sr.	Amherst (Firelands)
71	Alvin Howard	OT	6-2	241	19	So.	Cincinnati (Woodward)
60	Gerald Howard	OG	6-1	217	19	So.	Columbus (Walnut Ridge)
67	Dean Hull*	OG	6-0	243	19	So.	Diamondale, MI (Holt)
16	Matthew Humphrey	QB	6-2	185	18	Fr.	Dearborn Heights, MI (Divine Child)
96	Richard Iverson	DT	6-3	235	18	Fr.	Streetsboro
52	Kip Kane**	MG	6-3	227	21	Sr.	Columbus (Whitehall)
80	Patrick Kennedy	SS	6-1	205	18	Fr.	Toledo (St. Francis)
31	Eli Kirk	TB	5-8	165	18	Fr.	Rock Creek
8	Curt Lewis	FL	6-1	180	18	Fr.	Plymouth, MI (Plymouth-Salem)
39	Bruce Matter	LB	6-2	215	18	Fr.	Bluffton
83	John Meek	TE	6-2	211	18	Fr.	Akron (Revere)
17	Joe Merritt*	CB	5-10	182	19	So.	Middletown
50	Jim Mitolo**	MG	5-10	205	21	Sr.	Warren (John F. Kennedy)
76	Rex Mohr	OT	6-4	239	20	Jr.	Dayton (Northmont)
58	Brian Nordin	MG	5-11	210	18	Fr.	Columbus (Bexley)
84	Dave Panczyk*	TE	6-1	210	19	So.	Parma Heights (Valley Forge)
87	John Park*	TE	6-1	230	19	So.	Sarnia, Ont. (Northern Collegiate)
73	Jeff Peacock	OG	6-2	218	19	Fr.	Blissfield, MI
21	Matt Pillar*	SE	6-0	180	21	Sr.	Toronto
77	Mark Prohlik	OT	6-1	223	19	So.	Strongsville
37	Dan Putman*	LB	6-1	200	19	So.	Okemos, MI
38	Steve Raabe*	CB	6-0	188	20	Jr.	North Baltimore
98	Dan Reiner	DT	6-5	235	18	Fr.	Avon Lake
90	Tim Ross*	LB	6-5	205	19	So.	Toledo (Woodward)
26	Carl Rosser	FB	6-0	188	19	So.	Cincinnati (Summit Country Day)
65	Mike Rullo*	OG	6-2	210	19	So.	Parma (Valley Forge)
51	Jim Schumann	C	6-1	240	18	Fr.	Kettering (Fairmont East)
54	Mark Shaffer	C	6-3	223	21	Sr.	Columbus (Whetstone)
53	Jim Sheets	DT	5-11	220	20	Jr.	Salem
25	Dan Shetler*	SE	5-11	167	19	So.	North Canton (Hoover)
62	Brian Shipman*	OG	6-2	195	19	So.	Drayton Plains, MI (Waterford)
11	John Spengler*	K	5-9	161	19	So.	Toledo (Ottawa Hills)
55	Joe Studer**	C	6-0	227	22	Sr.	Massillon (Washington)
20	Mike Sugden**	FS	6-0	180	20	Jr.	Westerville (South)
28	Titus Taylor	FL	5-10	166	20	Jr.	Wickliffe
95	Sam Thacker	LB	6-2	197	19	So.	Cincinnati (Princeton)
5	Jac Tomasello	CB	6-2	180	18	Fr.	St. Clair Shores, MI (Bishop Gallagher)
19	Mike Tucker	QB	6-3	192	19	So.	Fairborn (Park Hills)
91	Rick Underman*	DT	6-1	222	22	Jr.	Elyria
43	Jim Vannett	DB	6-1	180	18	Fr.	Bowling Green
9	Fred Wasson	DB	5-9	178	21	Jr.	Gahanna (Lincoln)
2	Ron White	SE	5-10	190	20	So.	Oberlin
24	Doug Wiener**	TB	5-9	171	20	Jr.	Canton (Central Catholic)
35	Dave Windatt*	FB	5-11	216	19	So.	Muskegon, MI (Mona Shores)
12	Mike Wright*	QB	6-3	185	20	Jr.	Wellsville

\*Denotes Letters Won

## FUTURE FOOTBALL SCHEDULES

### 1979

Sept.	8	EASTERN MICHIGAN
	15	at Iowa State
	22	CENTRAL MICHIGAN
	29	WESTERN MICHIGAN
Oct.	6	TOLEDO
	13	at Kent State
	20	MIAMI
	27	at Ball State
Nov.	3	at Kentucky
	10	SOUTHERN MISSISSIPPI
	17	at Ohio University

### 1980

Sept.	13	EASTERN MICHIGAN
	20	LONG BEACH STATE
	27	at Kentucky
Oct.	4	at Western Michigan
	11	at Toledo
	18	KENT STATE
	25	at Miami
Nov.	1	BALL STATE
	8	at Central Michigan
	15	at Richmond
	22	OHIO UNIVERSITY


### 1981

Sept.	12	at Baylor
	19	at Ohio University
	26	at Michigan State
Oct.	3	at Western Michigan
	10	MIAMI
	17	at Northern Illinois
	24	TOLEDO
	31	KENT STATE
Nov.	7	at Ball State
	14	at Eastern Michigan
	21	CENTRAL MICHIGAN

### Big Games

1982	at North Carolina
1983	at Brigham Young
1985	at Kentucky
1986	at Washington
1987	at Arizona
1988	at Texas Christian
1988	at Oregon State

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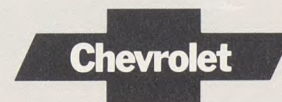
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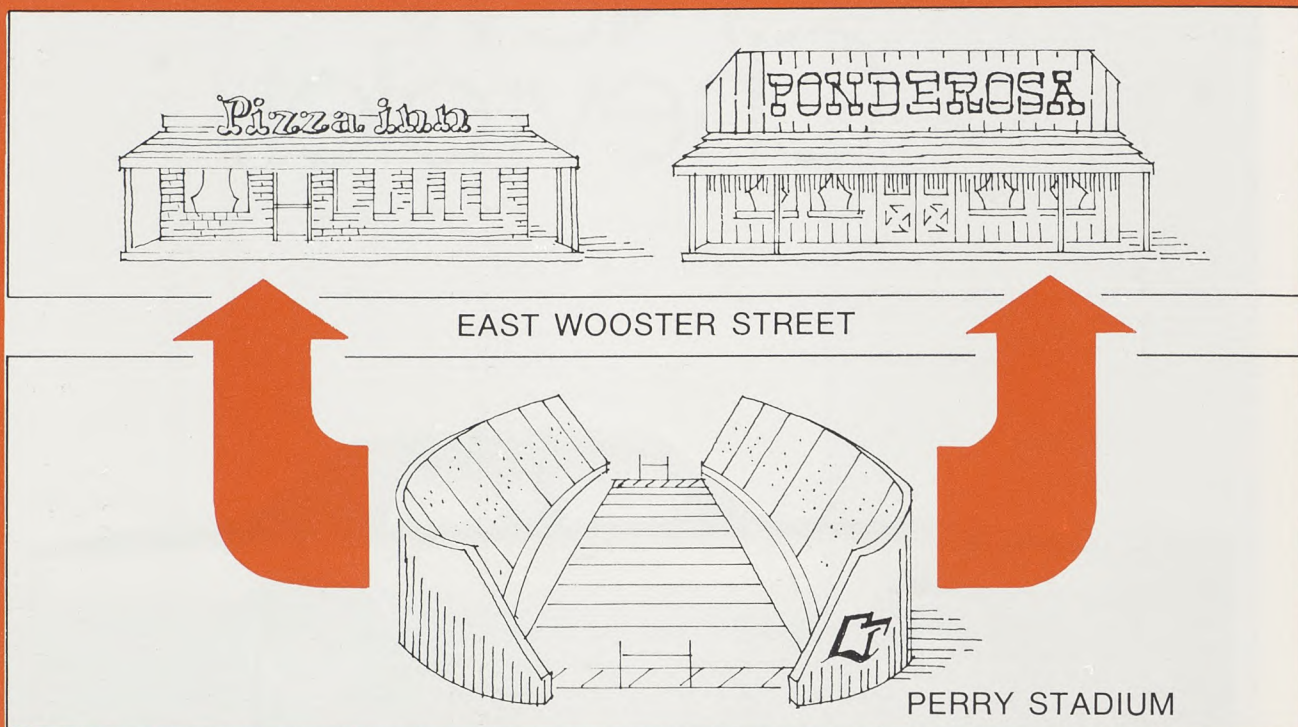
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## OFFENSE

25	Dan Shetler	SE
79	Bob Harris	LT
65	Mike Rullo	LG
55	Joe Studer	C
67	Dean Hull	RG
77	Mark Prchlik	RT
87	John Park	TE
12	Mike Wright	QB
13	Dave Cassel	TB
35	Dave Windatt	FB
23	Jeff Groth	FL

2 Ron White, SE  
3 Mark Bogue, DB  
4 Jeff Genyk, QB  
5 Jac Tomasello, CB  
6 Doug Groth, QB  
7 Doug Heisterman, CB  
8 Curt Lewis, FL  
9 Fred Wasson, DB  
10 Dave Endres, QB  
11 John Spengler, K  
12 Mike Wright, QB  
13 Dave Cassel, TB  
14 Dirk Abernathy, SS  
15 Bob Bistriz, CB  
16 Matthew Humphrey, QB  
17 Joe Merritt, CB  
18 Brad Baker, FL

19 Mike Tucker, QB  
20 Mike Sugden, FS  
21 Matt Pillar, SE  
22 Bob Cummins, WS  
23 Jeff Groth, FL  
24 Doug Wiener, TB  
25 Dan Shetler, SE  
26 Carl Rosser, FB  
28 Titus Taylor, FL  
30 Kevin Folkes, TB  
31 Eli Kirk, TB  
32 Steve Holovacs, FB  
33 Mark Firek, SE  
34 Tony Dunklin, CB  
35 Dave Windatt, FB  
36 Dan Gatta, LB  
37 Dan Putman, LB

38 Steve Raabe, CB  
39 Bruce Matter, LB  
40 Kevin Browning, FB  
42 Joe Guyer, LB  
43 Jim Vannett, DB  
44 Joe Coalter, WS  
47 Michael Bixel, LB  
49 Mike Callesen, LB  
50 Jim Mitolo, MG  
51 Jim Schumann, C  
52 Kip Kane, MG  
53 Jim Sheets, DT  
54 Mark Shaffer, C  
55 Joe Studer, C  
57 Tom Beaber, C  
58 Brian Nordin, MG  
60 Gerald Howard, OG

## DEFENSE

85	John Fitzpatrick	OLB
94	Ed Holmes	LT
50	Jim Mitolo	MG
70	Todd Gates	RT
36	Dan Gatta	OLB
61	Jim Gause	ILB
49	Mike Callesen	ILB
5	Jac Tomasello	WC
7	Doug Heisterman	SC
22	Bob Cummins	WS
14	Dirk Abernathy	SS

61 Jim Gause, LB  
62 Brian Shipman, OG  
63 Dave Ellis, OG  
64 Carl Brungard, OG  
65 Mike Rullo, OG  
66 Frank Bartoszek, OG  
67 Dean Hull, OG  
69 Gary Granger, LB  
70 Todd Gates, DT  
71 Alvin Howard, OT  
73 Jeff Peacock, OG  
74 John Broderick, OT  
75 Darhyl Garrett, OT  
76 Rex Mohr, OT  
77 Mark Prchlik, OT  
78 Barry Clark, OT  
79 Bob Harris, OT

80 Patrick Kennedy, SS  
81 Doug Carr, TE  
82 Harvey Coleman, FL  
83 John Meek, TE  
84 Dave Panczyk, TE  
85 John Fitzpatrick, LB  
87 John Park, TE  
90 Tim Ross, LB  
91 Rick Underman, DT  
92 Myke Claret, LB  
93 Bryan Gibbs, OT  
94 Ed Holmes, DT  
95 Sam Thacker, LB  
96 Richard Iverson, DT  
97 Richard Deutsch, MG  
98 Dan Reiner, DT

# OHIO UNIVERSITY

## OFFENSE

87	Shawn Silcott	TE
84	Ray Bloch	LT
62	Terry Cooper	LG
51	Don Puthoff	C
78	Bob Barrow	RG
75	Steve Milano	RT
28	John Summers	WR
10	Nigel Turpin	FL
14	Sam Shon	QB
46	Kevin Babcock	FB
22	Mark Grogan	TB

10 Nigel Turpin, QB-WR  
11 Vincent Short, DB  
12 Mike Scimeca, QB  
13 Brian O'Neal, WR  
14 Sam Shon, QB  
15 Randy Hochberg, QB  
16 Tom Nyhan, QB  
17 Mark Knapp, DB  
18 Jeff Kelch, DB  
20 Mark Green, DB  
21 Marvin Bohanan, TE  
22 Mark Grogan, RB  
23 Thee Lemon, DB  
24 Gordy Burns, DB  
25 Greg Haller, FB  
26 Felton Farrow, WR

27 Ed Diehl, DB  
28 John Summers, WR  
29 Tony Carifa, DB  
30 John Gamble, LB  
31 Tedd Lucas, LB  
32 Mike Johnson, MG-DT  
33 Frank Komar, LB  
34 Todd Yoho, RB  
35 Rick Crislip, TB  
37 Mark Grannison, FB  
38 Greg Roebuck, DB  
39 Jack Hagan, DB  
40 Faron Volkmer, WR  
41 Doug James, TB  
42 David P. Davis, TB  
43 Jim Givens, DS

44 Randy Perkins, WR  
46 Kevin Babcock, FB  
47 Steve Green, K  
48 Bill Simpson, DE  
49 George Moore, DE  
50 Jeff Bramley, MG  
51 Don Puthoff, C  
52 J. B. Cox, LB  
54 Don Lewis, DT  
55 John Wilkerson, DE  
56 Jeff Harden, C-OT  
57 Dale Amyx, OG  
58 Bruce Heasley, C  
60 Pat Ryan, LB  
61 Nick Douglas, OG  
62 Terry Cooper, OG

## DEFENSE

48	Bill Simpson	SE
63	Steve Doe	RT
30	John Gamble	RLB
32	Mike Johnson	MG
31	Ted Lucas	LLB
99	Steve Groves	LT
90	Neil Seymour	WE
23	Thee Lemon	CB
20	Mark Green	WC
11	Vincent Short	SC
43	Jim Givens	S

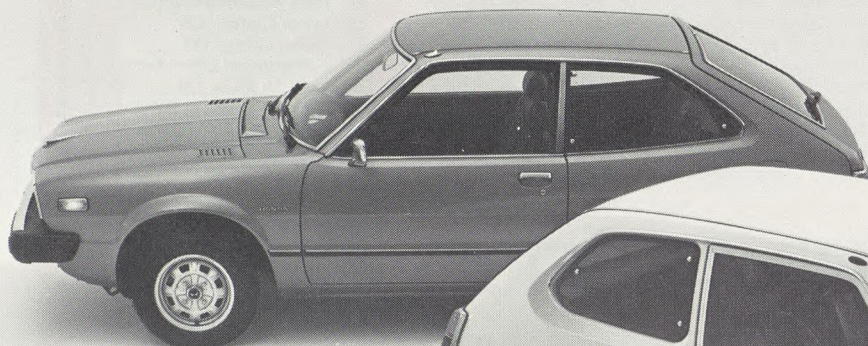
63 Steve Doe, DT  
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67 Evan Gobos, LB  
66 Mark Herzick, OT  
68 Greg Puthoff, DT  
69 Alan Nowac, MG  
70 Scott Hartley, LB  
71 Rick Marsico, OT  
72 Doug Blades, OT  
73 Lance Bodine, TE  
74 Mark Mewhorter, DT  
75 Steve Milano, OT  
76 Ray Bloch, OT  
77 Paul Spak, OG  
78 Bob Barrow, OG  
80 Mark Geisler, TE

81 Glen Dugger, WR  
83 Dave Kuszmaul, DE  
84 Tim Brophy, DB  
86 Mark Pringle, WR  
87 Shawn Silcott, TE  
88 Matt Faulkner, DE  
89 B. J. Tovine, TE  
90 Neil Seymour, DE  
91 Dave Littleton, DE  
93 Gary Gibson, WR  
94 Jerry Fultz, DT  
95 Bruce Bigach, TE  
97 Jack Pompey, K  
98 Steve Hurlburt, DE  
99 Steve Groves, DT

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NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	YR.	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL)
57	Dale Amyx*	OG	6-1	210	Jr.	Groveport
46	Kevin Babcock**	FB	5-11	195	Jr.	Sycamore
78	Bob Barrow***	OG	6-2	230	Sr.	Powell
95	Bruce Bigach	TE	6-3	196	So.	Barberton
72	Doug Blades	OT	6-3	235	Fr.	Columbus (Hamilton Township)
76	Ray Bloch	OT	6-6	230	So.	Trenton, Mich.
73	Lance Bodine	TE	6-0	185	Fr.	Athens
21	Marvin Bohanan***	TE	6-1	205	Sr.	Powell
50	Jeff Bramley	MG	6-4	225	Jr.	Troy, NY (Hudson Valley JC)
84	Tim Brophy	DB	6-0	185	Fr.	St. Henry
24	Gordy Burns	DB	6-1	200	Jr.	Marysville
29	Tony Carifa	DB	5-11	175	So.	Columbus (Northland)
62	Terry Cooper*	OG	6-1	225	So.	Wheelersburg
52	J. B. Cox	LB	6-1	205	So.	Cambridge
35	Rick Crislip***	TB	5-11	195	Sr.	Louisville
42	David P. Davis	TB	5-11	195	Fr.	Jackson
27	Ed Diehl	DB	5-11	180	So.	Columbus (St. Francis)
63	Steve Doe*	DT	6-1	210	Jr.	Triadelphia, WV
61	Nick Douglas**	OG	6-4	245	Jr.	Parkersburg, WV (South)
81	Glen Dugger	WR	6-2	195	So.	Columbus (Upper Arlington)
26	Felton Farrow	WR	6-1	195	So.	Youngstown (South)
88	Matt Faulkner*	DE	6-4	210	Jr.	Athens
65	Jeff Ferrell	OG	6-3	240	Fr.	Marietta
94	Jerry Fultz**	DT	6-2	215	Sr.	Columbus (Brookhaven)
30	John Gamble*	LB	6-1	210	So.	Van Wert
80	Mark Geisler**	TE	6-4	210	Jr.	Marietta
93	Gary Gibson	WR	5-11	195	So.	Zanesville (Maysville)
43	Jim Givens**	DS	5-11	180	Sr.	Cincinnati (Moeller)
67	Evan Gobos	LB	6-1	205	Fr.	Pittsburgh, Pa. (Taylor-Alderdice)
37	Mark Grannison	FB	6-2	220	So.	Sharon, Pa. (Kennedy)
20	Mark Green	DB	6-2	190	So.	Cambridge
47	Steve Green**	K	6-0	190	Jr.	Athens
22	Mark Grogan	RB	5-9	175	Fr.	Cincinnati (Turpin)
99	Steve Groves	DT	6-2	225	Jr.	Groveport (Madison)
39	Jack Hagan	DB	5-9	178	So.	Northmont
85	Doug Hale	LB	6-0	185	Fr.	Oak Hill
25	Greg Haller	FB	6-2	215	Fr.	Wheelersburg
56	Jeff Harden	C-OT	6-2	200	Fr.	Cincinnati (Princeton)
70	Scott Hartley	LB	6-4	220	So.	Somers Pt., N.J.
58	Bruce Heasley**	C	6-3	190	Jr.	Temperance, Mich. (Bedford)
66	Mark Herzick	OT	6-3	230	So.	Wintersville
92	Tom Heckmann	DB	6-0	235	Fr.	Cincinnati (North College Hill)
15	Randy Hochberg	QB	6-3	195	Jr.	State College, Pa.
98	Steven Hurlburt	DE	6-1	190	Fr.	St. Mary's
41	Doug James	TB	5-10	180	Jr.	Erie, Pa.
32	Mike Johnson**	MG-DT	6-2	210	Jr.	Worthington
70	Henry Jontony	DT	6-3	250	So.	Cleveland (West Tech)
96	Ben Justus	DB	5-10	174	Fr.	Lancaster
18	Jeff Kelch*	DB	5-10	170	Jr.	Columbus (Northland)
17	Mark Knapp*	DB	6-0	190	Sr.	McConnelsville
33	Frank Komar	LB	6-1	195	Fr.	Lorain
83	Dave Kuszmaul	DE	6-1	195	Jr.	Warren (Champion)
23	Thee Lemon***	DB	6-1	195	Sr.	Massillon (Washington)
54	Don Lewis	DT	6-0	200	So.	Weirton, WV (Madonna)
91	Dane Littleton	DE	6-3	195	Fr.	Lorain
31	Tedd Lucas**	LB	5-11	215	Jr.	Clayton (Northmont)
71	Rick Marsico	OT	6-1	240	Sr.	Youngstown (Cardinal Mooney)
74	Mark Mewhorter	DT	6-3	215	So.	Upper Sandusky
75	Steve Milano	OT	6-1	240	Sr.	Canton (Louisville Aquinas)
49	George Moore*	DE	6-3	195	Sr.	Toledo (Macomber)
69	Alan Nowac	MG	6-5	250	Jr.	Maple Heights
16	Tom Nyhan	DB	6-0	180	Fr.	Kettering (Alter)
44	Randy Perkins*	WR	6-0	180	Jr.	Hubbard
13	Brian O'Neal	WR	6-0	170	So.	Toledo (Ottawa Hills)
97	Jack Pompey	K	6-2	175	Fr.	Corning
86	Mark Pringle	WR	6-2	200	Fr.	Massillon
51	Don Puthoff*	C	6-3	230	So.	St. Henry
68	Greg Puthoff	DT	6-2	225	Fr.	St. Henry
38	Greg Roebuck	DB	6-1	190	Fr.	Rockford (Parkway)
60	Pat Ryan*	LB	6-2	210	Sr.	Fairview Park (Cleve. St. Ignatius)
12	Mike Scimeca	QB	5-11	190	Jr.	Allen Park, Mich. (Mother Cabrini)
90	Neil Seymour*	DE	6-2	190	So.	Canal Winchester
14	Sam Shon	QB	5-10	170	Fr.	Youngstown (Rayen)
87	Shawn Silcott	TE	6-3	198	Fr.	London
11	Vincent Short*	DB	5-11	190	So.	Farrell, Pa.
48	Bill Simpson	DE	6-1	205	Jr.	Groveport (Madison)
77	Paul Spak	OG	6-3	240	Fr.	McKees Rocks, Pa. (Montour)
28	John Summers,***	WR	6-1	190	Sr.	Troy
89	B. J. Tovine	TE	6-2	205	Fr.	Portsmouth (N. Dame)
10	Nigel Turpin***	QB-WR	5-10	170	Sr.	Canton (Oakwood)
64	Scott Tyson*	OG	6-2	220	Sr.	Norwalk (Senior)
40	Faron Volkmer	WR	5-11	180	Jr.	Bucyrus (Winford)
55	John Wilkerson	DE	6-2	193	Fr.	Massillon (Washington)
34	Todd Yoho	RB	5-11	180	Fr.	Hebron (Lakewood)

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# New BGSU Recreation Center To Open In January

The \$9.35 million Recreation Center will open whole new avenues of opportunities for students, according to Dr. Richard Eakin, vice provost for student affairs and the man responsible for the well-being of the University's more than 16,000 students when they are not in the classroom.

"A residential university, like Bowling Green, must be able to provide students a social life, cultural life and recreational life in addition to the educational offering," Dr. Eakin said.

The Recreation Center, scheduled to open in January, will be a huge step forward in providing students with new opportunities in recreation as well as social and cultural outlets.

The building itself will be one of the finest indoor facilities of its kind in the state of Ohio. Designed by Thomas T. K. Zung of Cleveland, who was also the architect for the Alumni Center, the massive 185,000 square foot building has a very open design with one activity flowing into another.

The basic structure is formed by two rectangular buildings touching at right angles with two pie-shaped areas in between. The westernmost building houses the Olympic-sized (50 meters long) Samuel M. Cooper Pool. The pool's 25-yard width will permit meets to be held at one end while other activities could possibly continue at the other end. The pool features underwater viewing windows, has one, three, five and seven-and-a-half meter diving stations and a 17-foot depth. The pool area has seating for 1,300 spectators.

Dr. Eakin said the pool will be used by both the men's and women's intercollegiate swim teams, which will be the only intercollegiate use of the facility. "The top priority for this building is student recreation, but from the beginning it's been understood that the swim teams will be the only intercollegiate activity in the Center," Dr. Eakin said.

In September, 1977, the Board of Trustees named the pool in honor of Dr. Samuel M. Cooper, former swimming coach and chairman of the health and physical education department.

The east rectangular building will house the sports center, a huge, multi-purpose area that will accommodate four basketball courts or four tennis courts or combinations of volleyball and badminton courts. The sports center is rimmed by an elevated 190-yard banked running track.

Under the sports center are 14 handball or racquetball courts and three squash courts. The courts are two stories high and have openings along the back wall for viewing. Two of the handball/racquetball courts and one squash court have glass side walls.

Other features in the lower portion of the building include a golf room which will have four driving nets and a combination archery/golf studio that can accommodate seven targets or three golf-driving nets. The studio will also have an astroturf putting surface.

A 42 by 84-foot room is available for

dancing or for combative arts such as wrestling, karate or boxing.

A 48 by 104-foot area above and at the east end of the building housing the Cooper Pool can be used as a singles tennis court, a volleyball court or as a tennis-hitting wall. A movable partition separates the room from the main pool area and during large swim meets, extra seating is provided in the room that overlooks the pool.

In addition to intercollegiate swim meets the pool will be used for instruction in health and physical education classes and for recreational swimming. Also, if they can be fit into the schedule, various swim meets, sponsored by outside groups, will be scheduled.

Two meets have already been set for the Cooper Pool next winter and spring, including the Northwest Ohio High School Women's Districts and the Women's State Intercollegiate Swim Meet.

In the pie-shaped section forming the rear of the building is the club swimming pool, which is 50 by 25-feet in size and will be used primarily for recreation. The pool is specially designed and equipped to accommodate handicapped persons. A three-tier sun deck is being built outside the entrance doors to the club pool which is on the lower level. The pool is expected to be popular with groups wanting to have swimming parties.

The pie-shaped area in front of the building contains the activities center, which will be available for students wanting to participate in pick-up basketball games, table tennis and other activities. Groups such as the Pommerettes can use the space to practice their routines.

The activities center is adjacent to the main entrance which features a huge status board that gives a quick rundown on the availability of courts and other facilities. The status board will be updated every half-hour. The entrance area is decorated with rough, sawed wood walls that have observation windows overlooking the pool and into the sports center.

A circular stairway leads from the main entrance area to a mezzanine which also overlooks the main pool as well as the activities center. Students can participate in a variety of machine games such as bumper pool, pool, football, air hockey, pinball and shuffleboard. There will also be vending machines for snacks.

The building has two exercise rooms, one for men, the other for women, which will contain a wide range of weight and exercise equipment. Also, there will be two locker rooms, each with 800 lockers, and saunas.

In addition to office space, there will be a pro shop where Center users can purchase various types of equipment and clothing.



R. J. (Ben) McGuire, the Director of Recreation at Bowling Green, checks progress on the university's new \$9.35 million recreation center. The structure is scheduled to open for student use in January. McGuire will be in charge of the center.



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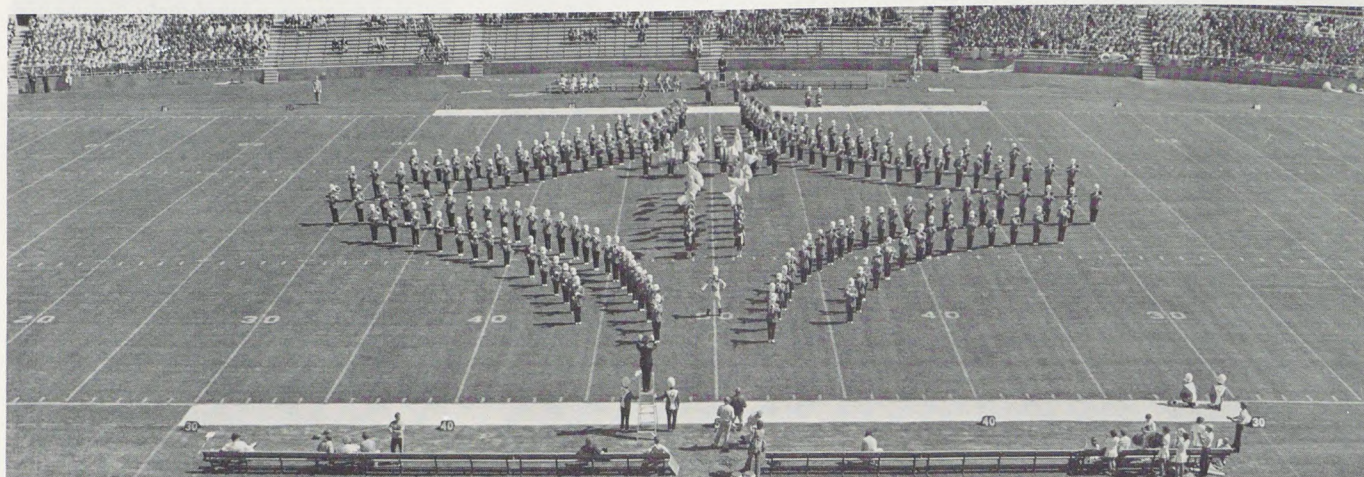
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## The Staff

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**Assistant Director:** John J. Deal  
**Graduate Assistant:** Phil Hoverman  
**Flag Instructor:** Phil Hoverman  
**Musical Arrangements:** Louis Marini  
**Percussion Instructor:** Wendell Jones  
**Drum Major:** Mark Zimmerman  
**Twirlers:** Brenda Biehl, Jackie Burton,  
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**Announcer:** Dave Glasmire

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**CHEERLEADERS:**  
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**MANAGERS:**  
Bowling Green's award-winning equipment manager, Glenn Sharp (center), will be assisted by four managers during the 1978 Falcon football season. Assisting Sharp will be (L-R) Ron Schoemmel, Joe Sharp, Glenn Sharp, Jeff Krueger, and Jay Barton. Sharp was chosen Equipment Manager of the Year this summer by the Athletic Equipment Managers Association.



**SPORTS MEDICINE STAFF:**  
Helping keep Falcon athletes in tip-top condition are the members of the Sports Medicine Staff under the direction of head trainer Bill Jones. The group includes (L-R) — Tom Sears, Hal Hilmer, Preston Reilly, Steve Moll, assistant trainer Pat Troesch, Jones, assistant trainer Chuck Chartier, George Goodrich, Sam Crowther and Bruce Piatt.

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Alma Mater hear us,  
As we praise thy name  
Make us worthy sons and  
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Years from now you'll be  
Ever dearer in our hearts,  
Our University.

From your halls of ivy  
To the campus scene,  
Chimes ring out with gladness  
From our dear Bowling Green.

When all is just a mem'ry  
Of the by-gone days,  
Hear our hymn dear Alma Mater  
As thy name we praise.

## FORWARD FALCONS

### Fight Song

Forward Falcons!  
Forward Falcons!  
Fight for victory,  
Show our spirit,  
Make them fear it,  
Fight for dear Bee Gee.  
Forward Falcons!  
Forward Falcons!  
Make the contest keen,  
Hold up the fame  
Of our mighty name  
And win for Bowling Green!

## Ay Ziggy Zoomba

Ay Ziggy Zoomba Zoomba Zoomba  
Ay Ziggy Zoomba Zoomba Ze  
Ay Ziggy Zoomba Zoomba Zoomba  
Ay Ziggy Zoomba Zoomba Ze  
Roll 'em down you BG warriors  
Roll 'em down and win for BGSU  
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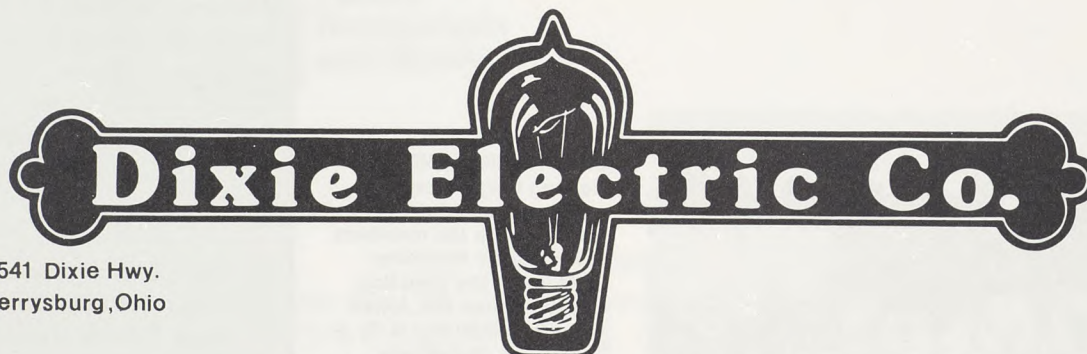
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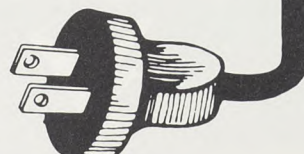
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# Ohio University

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Within the Mid-American Conference Ohio University is the only remaining charter member. In the National College Athletic Association's proposal for a new football division, Ohio University is in Division I, the so-called "Super Division."

A primary attraction of Ohio University is its 500-acre residential campus. The 120 classroom and residential buildings, mostly red brick and of Georgian architecture, are in groupings appropriately called "greens." The locale of the university is in the hilly forested southeastern section of the state and the Hocking River flows along the edge of the campus.

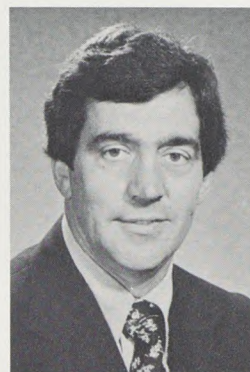
Athletic facilities line the south side of the campus and include the football stadium, the 13,000 seat Convocation Center (home of the Bobcats), a baseball diamond, and ice rink, and all-purpose physical education facility, soccer field, a new all-weather track, natatorium, a nine-hole golf course, 25 lighted tennis courts and five lighted practice fields.

The University provides a wide range of cultural activities for not only the University community but for all of southeastern Ohio. On a given day you may choose among several diverse possibilities. All of the lecturers, poets, singers, dancers, films and theater or music groups appearing on campus are available within walking distance of the residence halls. Many events are free, though some do have nominal charges.

There are 12 state parks and thousands of acres of state and national forest within easy driving distance of the campus. The parks have facilities for swimming, boating, camping, hiking, picnicking and fishing. When you need to get away, it's possible to walk for hours in the woods without running across dwellings, cars or other people. But if you really need a taste of city life now and then, Columbus and Cincinnati are within reasonable driving distance.



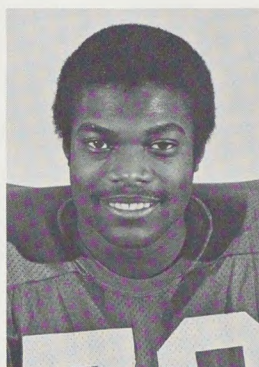
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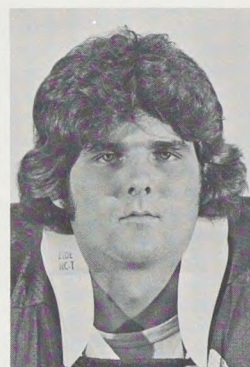
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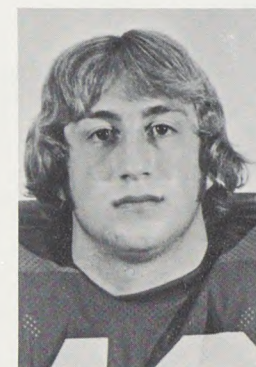
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Head Coach



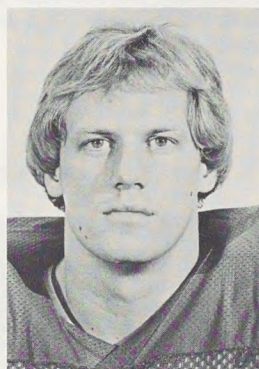
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Guard



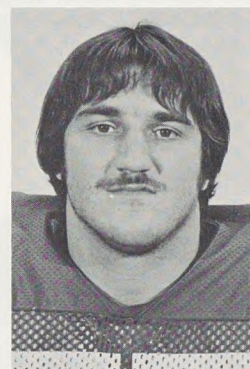
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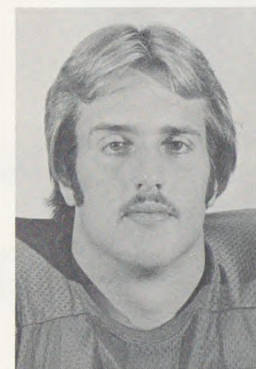
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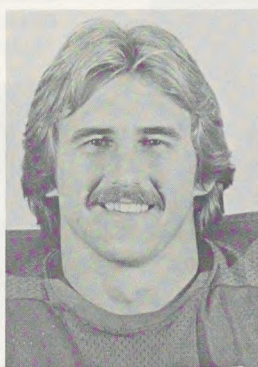
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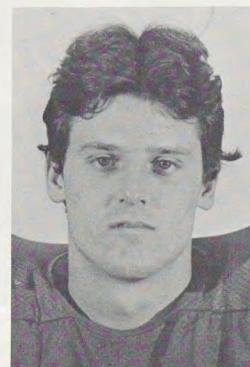
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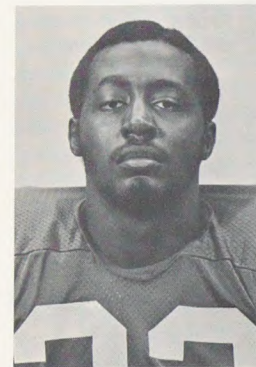
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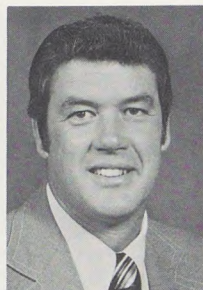
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**Carole Huston**  
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**ATHLETIC SECRETARIES:** Playing a vital role in the day-to-day activities of the Bowling Green athletic department are the staff secretaries. The group includes (L-R) — Becky Meek, Opal Adams, Ann Jones, Jan Kiehl, Lou-Ann Terhune, Ann Baer and Sandy Graf.



**Carl Hallberg**  
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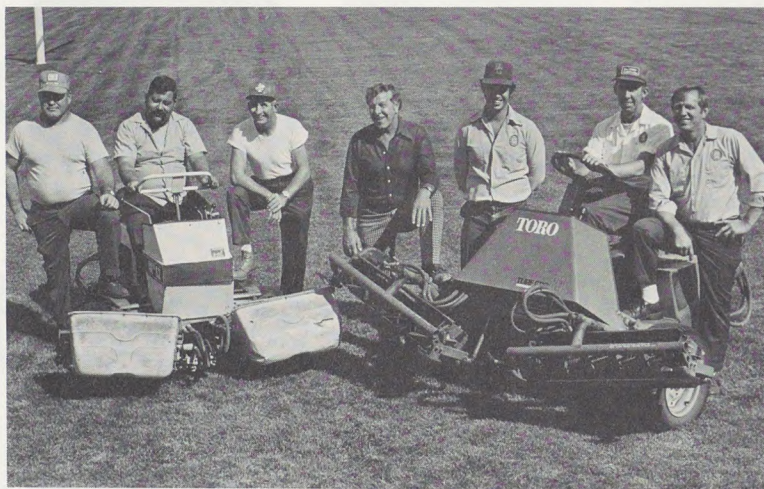
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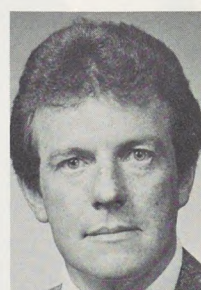
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# Falcon Athletes Have Another Impressive Year

Bowling Green continued to display a well-rounded sports program on the state, regional and national level in 1977-78 with some outstanding efforts by many of the Falcons' men's and women's teams.

Boasting the largest total sports program in the Mid-American Conference and one of the most extensive in the nation (24 sports), Bowling Green compiled its third best overall season ever in 1977-78 with a winning percentage of .606. Only a .630 mark in 1975-76 and a .618 ledger in 1973-74 bettered last year's effort.

Highlight of the 1977-78 sports year was the hockey team's third place finish in the NCAA playoffs in Providence, R.I. Coach Ron Mason's skaters captured the CCHA regular-season and playoff crowns and then bested Colorado College in the NCAA Midwest Regional Championship.

In addition to the hockey team's performance, the BG men's golf team, by winning the MAC, earned a trip to the NCAA Tournament at the University of Oregon and various members of the other men's and women's teams earned trips to national championship.

Championships garnered by Bowling Green teams during the campaign were by the men's golf team (MAC), the women's swimming team (state title) and women's track (state title). Runner-up performances were achieved by the men's cross country team in the MAC and the women's gymnastics in the state. The women's synchronized swim team placed sixth at the nationals.

Both the men's and women's teams showed marked improvement over the previous year. The men upped their winning percentage to .650 which was the highest in the 1970's, while an increased emphasis in the women's program produced a .548 mark to better the .511 record of 1976-77.

The Falcons tied for second in the MAC All-Sports Reese Trophy competition with a winning percentage of .602. This marked the third time in the 1970's that the school had reached that percentage. The Falcons had overall winning records against all but one of the league schools and showed an improved won-lost record against seven league institutions.

From a fiscal standpoint, the athletic's allocation of better than \$1.6 million is divided with the administrative and non-revenue areas funded by the general fees paid by students. The revenue-sports division is funded by gate receipts and income from concessions, parking, programs, guarantees, etc. Additional monies to help pay athletic grants-in-aid and recruiting expenditures are raised from private contributions made to the Falcon Club.

In addition to administration of the intercollegiate program, the athletic department is directly involved with both the educational and public service areas of the University.

The department supervises the University's 18-hole golf course, the Ice Arena and all of the athletic fields and facilities at the University. Through contact with club teams and an extensive intramural program, the department helped provide services to more than 16,000 participants last year.

Various local, state and national organizations made use of BG's modern facilities for several events and the department also helped in the University's total public service program.

The athletic program also embraces the department of health and physical education and recreation with service courses open to all students.

Following is a brief look at the recent history and current status of Bowling Green's 24 varsity teams:

**BASEBALL** — During the past seven seasons, the Falcons have won 201 games while losing 123. In four of the last five campaigns, Bowling Green has taken 30 or more victories per season and has averaged 29 victories per year since head coach Don Purvis took over in 1972. Each of the last two seasons has produced a Division I All-American as MAC home run king Larry Owen was honored in 1977 and Chuck Black was selected in 1978. The '79 season looks promising as the Falcons will face Ohio State, Univ. of Michigan, Notre Dame and Miami of Florida in addition to the traditional MAC foes. The past two seasons have seen seven Falcons sign professional baseball contracts.

**BASKETBALL** — The dynamic John Weinert enters his third year of coaching at Bowling Green with his best prospects yet, and BG having a string of six first-division league finishes in the last seven years. The Falcon's rich basketball tradition includes six NIT appearances, five NCAA tournaments and four MAC titles. The 1978-79 schedule lists such powers as Marquette, Loyola and Duquesne. The women's team has finished second three times and fourth twice in seven Ohio

state championships, and enters the new season under coach Kathy Bole.

**CROSS-COUNTRY** — Coach Mel Brodt's squads have racked up an impressive 110-35 mark during his 18 years at the helm and the BG runners annually rank among the best in the Midwest. BG has had 20 winning seasons in 22 years and four top-10 finishes nationally since 1969. The women's teams continues to shine with a ninth place finish in last year's AIAW meet and a sixth place finish in the Midwest Championships.

**FIELD HOCKEY** — Under new coach Pat Brett and with an increased emphasis in the program, the team should start reaping the benefits this season after a couple of hard-luck seasons. The 1977 squad held four opponents scoreless and limited four others to a single tally.

**FOOTBALL** — Coach Denny Stolz will be in his second year as the Falcon's head coach with some solid returnees and an exceptional freshman class as he looks to lead the Falcons to their 22nd winning season in the last 24 years. That winning tradition placed Bowling Green among the top 25 winningest teams in major-college football. An appearance in the nation's top 20 (19th) in 1973 and "big-game" victories over Purdue, Syracuse (twice) and Brigham Young highlight the 70's. Future games are booked with Iowa State, Kentucky, Michigan State, Baylor, Washington, North Carolina, Oregon State, Arizona and Brigham Young.

**GOLF** — Twelve tournament championships in the last seven years and consistent "top five" finishes gives the men's teams one of the best records in the Midwest. The 1978 team captured the MAC title for the third time in the 70's and ranked 25th in the NCAA's. The men have cracked the nation's top 30 on three occasions thanks in part to being able to prep on the University's own 18-hole course. The women's team has been a consistent contender in most tournaments in the Midwest and won the state title in 1974.

**GYMNASTICS** — One of the fastest rising BG programs from the standpoint of spectator interest and competitive skill, the women's team placed second in the last four state championships and was seventh in the Midwest meet last year while rolling up a fine 14-1 slate.

**HOCKEY** — Just a varsity sport at BG for nine years, the Falcons have quickly become one of the nation's top collegiate teams. The skaters were third in the 1978 NCAA Championships after finishing fifth in 1977. Coach Ron Mason's team has been ranked in the top ten the last four seasons and the Falcons have compiled an outstanding 191-110-12 record in the nine seasons of their existence. Capacity crowds at the 3,000 seat BGSU Ice Arena are a common sight.

**LACROSSE** — In the last five years, the men's team has a 51-10 record which ranks as one of the best in the nation. Three Midwest championships and an 118-33 record in 13 years of varsity play are on the books. The powerful women's team claimed the 1975 Midwest crown and is 27-11-4 for the last three years.

**SOCCER** — In four of the last six years, BG has been ranked as one of the four top teams in Ohio. NCAA tournament appearances in 1972 and 1973 highlight the 1970's.

**SWIMMING** — With a new Olympic-sized swimming pool near completion on campus, BG's swimming fortunes should take a big step upwards. The women's team has claimed five straight state titles and finished in the top 35 teams at the national meet in two of the last five years. The men's team continues to set new records as it prepares to move into the new facility.

**TENNIS** — The men's squad has captured four first-division MAC finishes in the last five seasons and rolled to a 21-7 record in 1977 along with a tie for third place in the championships. The women's team finished in a similar spot in the Ohio Large College Tournament and boasts a 31-7 record in the last four years.

**TRACK** — The men's program has attracted national attention thanks to such figures as Olympic gold medalist Dave Wottle, record-setting steeplechaser Sid Sink and the team's second place finish at the 1972 NCAA Indoor Championships. The strong women's program has won three consecutive Ohio championships and two straight Mid-American Invitationals.

**VOLLEYBALL** — Consistently one of the best teams in the state, the varsity was fifth in the last two state tournaments and had an impressive 18-7 record in 1977.

**WRESTLING** — With 21 non-losing seasons in the last 24 years, the Falcons have garnered three MAC titles and produced 15 individual champions in the last two decades.





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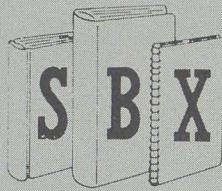


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